

PERSONALS

The friends of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Hastings of Waitsfield, to the number of nearly 200, met in the parlors of the Congregational church, Tuesday evening, April 20. The occasion was the departure of the family for their new home in Minneapolis, with their daughter, Mrs. Joslyn. As a token of love and remembrance they were both presented with silk umbrellas marked with their names. Rev. Mr. Rensle made the presentation speech, which was a model for such an address. It could not but be said in view of the parting with the friends and scenes of a long life, but it ended with some facetious remarks as to the use and abuse of umbrellas which charmed tears to smiles. Judge Hastings replied, giving some interesting anecdotes of his boyhood and early life.

Howard L. Johnson was called to Lenoxville, P. Q., last Wednesday by the death of his father, Edgar Johnson, which occurred on Monday.

Mrs. Abbie M. McNeil is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Laila A. McNeil, at Brookline, Mass.

Mrs. J. M. Perham is spending the week with relatives at Cambridge.

A recent number of Harper's Weekly and the May number of the Review of Reviews contained excellent portraits of Hon. Henry C. Ide, our new minister to Spain.

H. S. Chase, a former landlord of the St. Johnsbury House, is now manager of the Clendening apartment hotel at 202 West 103rd street, New York.

Harry G. Dwight, who was graduated from the Academy in the class of '93, was slightly injured in the riots in Constantinople incident to the deposing of the Sultan. He was crossing the water with another newspaper correspondent and both were fired upon by the troops. Mr. Dwight escaped with a slight injury, but his companion was more seriously hurt.

Hon. Alexander Dunnett and Hon. Elisha May attended the funeral of John L. Bacon at White River Junction, Friday.

The marriage of Abiah H. Haviland and Mrs. Ella Eaper, both of this place, took place at the parsonage of Grace Methodist church, Thursday, Rev. J. M. Frost officiating.

George F. Cushman of Lisbon was in town Thursday.

Miss Helen M. Peterson was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening by a call from about a dozen of her young lady friends, in honor of her birthday. She was presented with some gifts, and refreshments and candy were served.

Mrs. C. A. Cramton spent a few days in Concord, N. H., last week.

Mrs. David Frizzell of Milby, P. Q., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hugh McElreavy.

Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Heyer from Richmond made his daughter Mrs. H. B. Daniels, a short visit last week on their way to their new home in Wardsboro.

Miss Glenn Robinson will assist at a piano recital at Woodville, Friday evening.

Mrs. C. Sherman Calderwood visited relatives in Greensboro last week.

Mrs. T. C. Haynes visited her sister in North Haverhill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Mayo have been visiting in Burlington and Rutland.

Supt. C. P. Palmer will speak at Morrisville, Friday, at the Lamolite Valley Educational society and teachers' institute.

Charles L. Stanley is visiting in New York City.

Alphonse Piche is spending a week in Boston.

Fred Willey returned Monday from St. Augustine, Florida, where he spent the winter.

Ex-Gov. C. J. Bell of Walden was in town Thursday.

Harry H. Carr was around town Tuesday and received a warm welcome from his many friends.

Mrs. Harriet C. Boynton was ninety years old yesterday and her friends and relatives made the day happy for her with flowers and gifts. In the afternoon many people called to extend congratulations and wish Mrs. Boynton many happy years. The day was made more enjoyable by the presence of a cousin, Mrs. Agnes Edgerly of Brookline, Mass., and of Mrs. Boynton's granddaughter, Miss Helen A. Boynton, who has been studying the violin in New York the past year.

Frank E. Cushman of the U. S. S. Georgia, visited relatives in town over Sunday. Mr. Cushman is the ship's printer and his ship was one of the fleet which went around the world.

Henry B. Byron returned Wednesday from the Grand Lodge, N. E. O. P., at Bennington. He visited his sisters at Chester and Springfield while away.

W. R. Buckland of Barnston, P. Q., has been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Elbridge G. Hastings of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Todd of Palmer, Mass., have been spending a few days relatives here.

E. L. Blake, special agent of the International Consolidated Oil Co. of Wyoming, is away on a short business trip, and will visit the fields of the com-

pany located in Wyoming, and other western points. During his absence J. Edwin Parker of this place will have charge of the company's interests here.

Mrs. H. E. Byron has been shut in with a lame ankle, the result of hitting a chair rocker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rucker spent Sunday with relatives at Peacham.

Mrs. Mary Packer of East Burke, who has been spending some time in Albany, N. Y., was the guest of Mrs. J. C. Gray last week.

Mrs. W. J. Lowrey of Boston has been visiting Mr. Lowrey here.

Mrs. P. M. Hoyt is recovering from a week's illness with the grip and stomach trouble, and is now able to sit up part of the time.

Mrs. James Mann is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Hamilton, at Dorchester, Mass.

Mrs. Abiah Smith was called to Littleton, today, to attend the funeral of Miss Mary Eaton, who was a recent visitor at Mrs. Smith's home.

Arthur H. Liberty has resigned his position in the George H. Cross establishment and has gone to an electrical school in New York City.

Mrs. Earnest Clark of New York city came Saturday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Flint.

C. H. Turner very pleasantly entertained some of the boys at the Fairbanks office at his home on Monday evening.

Fred M. Crosby, editor of the Morrisville Messenger, has sold that plant to L. P. Thayer and on May 3 becomes managing editor of the Middlebury Register.

Miss Delia I. Griffin started last night for Philadelphia to attend the annual meeting of the American Museums association. While away she will visit the American Museum in New York and the Children's Museum in Brooklyn which is the only museum in America doing the same educational work as the Fairbanks museum.

Miss Evelyn Morey of the shorthand department at the Academy has a position in an office at Wilder and Miss Katherine Hunt is employed by the Cary Maple Sugar Co. as extra stenographer.

C. A. Stanley spent the last of the week in Boston.

Arthur Rich of Newport spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Theodore Chase has returned from a visit in Hanover, N. H.

Will Goss is spending a few days at Frank Clement's.

Mrs. George H. Cross has been called home from Biddeford, Me., by the serious illness of Mrs. Catherine Howland.

Miss Mary E. Jewett of Berkeley, Cal., who has spent the winter at Undercliffe, is visiting friends in Montpelier. Miss Jewett leaves next week for Missoula, Mont., to visit her sister.

The many friends of Col. T. C. Fletcher are glad to know that he is improving every day.

Mrs. Rebecca P. Fairbanks delightfully entertained a company of ladies Thursday afternoon and evening in honor of Mrs. J. W. Balch.

Mrs. John N. Gale returned home Friday having spent the winter in Beloit, Wis., and Battle Creek, Mich.

Mrs. Allan Robinson is in a very serious condition at Brightlook Hospital.

Arthur Boucher has received a certificate as registered pharmacist in Vermont. He is also registered in Massachusetts.

Frank Chatfield of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting his uncle, H. B. Ford, and calling on other relatives here.

Miss Clara Toussaint of North Danville is visiting Mrs. James Johnson.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Thayer were reminded Wednesday night that they had reached the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage when about 50 of the friends and neighbors called to extend hearty congratulations. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. Thayer, who had planned to spend the evening reading the daily paper, and he was as much pleased and as young in spirit as the youngest in the party. During the evening William Wetherbee presented the happy couple with a purse of gold, on behalf of the friends present, and refreshments were served.

Mr. Thayer was born in Franconia, N. H., 71 years ago. For over 52 years he has resided in St. Johnsbury and during all that time has been employed by E. & T. Fairbanks & Company, being for the past 20 years the foreman of the St. Johnsbury Aqueduct Company. On April 28, 1859, he married at Barton, Althea Randall. They have two daughters, Susie, wife of O. H. Smith, and Blanche, wife of Errol C. Grant. Both daughters reside in St. Johnsbury and were present at the gathering as were the two grandchildren, Ralph H. Smith and Elizabeth A. Grant. The CALEDONIAN joins with a large circle of friends in extending congratulations to the happy couple in reaching their golden wedding.

Commencement Honors.

The commencement honors for the class of 1909 St. Johnsbury Academy were announced Monday and are as follows:

Valedictorian, William H. Boynton of St. Johnsbury.

Salutatorian, Miss May Willey of St. Johnsbury.

First honors: Miss Ione Barrett of St. Johnsbury, William H. Boynton, Miss Mary L. Clement of St. Johnsbury, Miss Winifred S. Merrill of St. Johnsbury, Miss May Willey.

Second honors: Dale S. Atwood of St. Johnsbury, Miss Dora E. Hastings of Waterford, Hugh Mackinnon of St. Johnsbury, Nelson R. Park of Passumpsic, Miss Glen E. Roundy of West Burke.

Third honors: Flynn M. Bolton of West Burke, John H. Borland of St. Johnsbury, Miss Myrtle L. Kellogg of East Concord, Miss Carrie Kilbourn of St. Johnsbury Center.

Those having first honors have a standing of 90 per cent or over, those having second honors rank from 85 to 90 per cent and those having third honors have what is called "credit rank." This system of honors is a new one, hence this explanation.

The commencement speakers were elected by competition. Typewritten essays, unsigned were handed in and submitted to three judges, one in Massachusetts, one in New Jersey and one in Vermont, and on the markings of these judges the speakers with the exception of the valedictorian and salutatorian, were appointed. They were William H. Boynton, valedictorian, Miss May Willey salutatorian, Miss Ione Barrett, Miss Dora E. Hastings, Miss Winifred S. Merrill, Harold L. Pennington of St. Johnsbury and Miss Glen E. Roundy.

Garde Champlain Tombola.

The Garde Champlain gave a very successful tombola at St. Agnes Hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of last week. On Tuesday evening the program consisted of a play "Chicot" given by Alexander Landry, Orlan Laurence and Auguste Dauphin. Wednesday evening the same young men and George Corrie presented "L'Auberge du Numero Trois," and on Thursday evening the drawings took place. The hall was decorated for the occasion and several varieties of light refreshments were on sale. One table was in charge of Rev. A. Dame.

The drawings resulted as follows: Fancy cake, Arthur G. Trotter; clock, George Drouin; pillow, Mrs. Alice Paradis; lamp, Mrs. Rose Mailloux; doily, Rev. Fr. Leblanc; chocolate set, Marie Prevost; Father Boissonnault's picture, James Meilleur; medicine case, Carl Reynolds; bed of cotton cloth, Albert Bernard; pair of vases, Eugene Gagner; rug, Fr. Leblanc; barrel of flour, Gustave Asselin; ton of coal, Gustave Asselin; \$5 gold piece, Mrs. B. Lamontagne; gold watch, Albertine Jeneau.

Church Notes.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Pythian Hall. Sunday morning service 10.45. Subject, "Adam and Fallen Man." The reading room is in the Bank block, corner Main street and Eastern avenue and is open daily except Sunday, from 2.30 to 5 p. m., also Tuesday and Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

The subject of the sermon at Grace Methodist church Sunday evening will be "A Bird Song."

The leader of the Y. P. C. U. of the Church of the Messiah, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, will be Elbert Reed, Theme, "Loyalty." The juniors will meet at 3 o'clock, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. A. S. Buzzell of New Hampshire will supply at the Railroad street Baptist church next Sunday.

The mid-week service of St. Andrew's church will be omitted this evening owing to the pastors' institute. The services Sunday will be Holy Communion at 7.30 a. m. Morning prayer, Litany and sermon at 10.30, subject of sermon "The Means at Hand for Maintaining the Resurrected Life." This is the third in the series on the Easter symbol. Evening service and special music at 7.00.

Reception to Mr. and Mrs. Frost.

On last week Tuesday evening the Ladies Aid society of Grace Methodist church arranged a reception for Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Frost, to show their pleasure that Mr. and Mrs. Frost are to remain here another year. Between 150 and 200 attended. The guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Frost, Miss Ka Jo, Mrs. Wallace French, president of the Ladies Aid society, and Rev. F. W. Lewis. After a short program consisting of an address of welcome by H. S. Turner, response by Mr. Frost, two selections by the male quartet, a vocal solo by Mrs. H. H. Miltimore, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. So many expressed their regret at the absence of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Atwood that it was voted to send them a letter telling them so.

Process of Embalming.

Charles A. Calderwood has secured the agency in this section of a new embalming fluid, known to the trade as Mico, which he has used with great success and which promises to revolutionize the whole process of embalming. The fluid, which is prepared by an expert chemist by a secret process, is used by the undertaker without any mutilation of the body and completely fills the tissues, preserving the same for any length of time. All the objectionable features of the other systems of embalming are removed and Mico is meeting with great success wherever it is tried. Mr. Calderwood has used nothing else in his undertaking business since he secured the agency some two months ago and the results have more than met his expectations.

EAST ST. JOHNSBURY.

Mrs. M. P. Woods observed her 93rd birthday, Saturday. Mrs. Woods is very well, her greatest infirmity being deafness. There are two other ladies in and near this village over 90 years of age. Mrs. Hollis, who lives with her son, N. P. Hollis, was 94 last January, and Mrs. Polly Chapman, who lives with her nephew, George Chase, near the village, will be 93, May 19.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey of Johnson, N. H., spent Sunday with his father, Ira Harvey, and sister, Mrs. J. D. Winslow. There is a good degree of interest manifested in the Sunday school contest,

which commenced last Sunday. The school is divided into two parts, the blues and the reds. The side that can show the largest attendance for the next three months will be given a dinner at the expense of the side losing. There was a large attendance Sunday, and the blues were two ahead. It looks now as though everyone would have a pressing invitation to come into Sunday school.

Mrs. Ella Potter has moved into Mrs. Wells' house, and Fred Cushman is moving onto the Potter farm, which he recently bought.

W. S. Russell makes a business trip to Boston this week.

Mrs. May Richards and son are spending a few days at East Concord.

Woman's Auxiliary Annual.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held next week Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the Association parlors. It is earnestly hoped that all members will attend.

Those who have been detained from the regular meetings will be interested to learn the work accomplished during the year through the different committees. After the election of officers light refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed.

BIRTHS.

At St. Johnsbury, May 1, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Milo Matthews.

At St. Johnsbury, April 30, a son and daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. McElreavy.

At Sherbrooke, P. Q., April 30, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Irvine.

At South Ryegate, April 27, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Park.

At St. Johnsbury, April 27, a daughter, Beatrice, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Goyet.

MARRIAGES.

At St. Johnsbury, April 29, by Rev. J. M. Frost, Abiah Henry Haviland and Mrs. Ella Eaper, both of St. Johnsbury.

At South Ryegate, by Rev. E. O. Thayer, Miss Ida V. Adams of South Ryegate, and Arthur L. Houghton of East Cabot. At home after May 10, Sherborn, Mass.

DEATHS.

At St. Johnsbury, May 5, Charlotte Elizabeth, widow of Dr. J. O. Cramton, aged 65 years.

At St. Johnsbury, May 4, John J. Coleman, aged 38 years.

At St. Johnsbury, May 4, by drowning, George Trombly, aged 4 years.

At St. Johnsbury, April 29, George W. Bangs of Lisbon, aged 69 years.

At Sutton, April 30, Alexander Lucia, aged nearly 70 years.

At Webster, Mass., April 5, Miss Sarah A. Noyes, formerly of Sutton, aged 69 years.

At West Burke, May 3, Mrs. Cynthia Newell Way, aged 80 years, 11 months.

At Windsor, April 27, L. R. Balch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Balch of Lunenburg.

At West Danville, April 29, Leroy A. Brickett, aged 28 years.

At Peacham, April 26, Charles Adams, aged 68 years.

At South Peacham, April 29, Mrs. Milton Farrow.

At Peacham, April 28, Harry Cassidy, aged 26 years.

At Brookline, Mass., May 3, Miss Mabel Elizabeth Houghton, aged 43 years.

At Morrisville, April 29, Frederick King, aged 52 years.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted and sympathized with us in our recent bereavement. Also to the Odd Fellows who voluntarily assumed all arrangements for the burial.

Mrs. G. W. BANGS,
A. E. BANGS,
P. W. BANGS,
J. D. DANIELS,
MISS A. B. DANIELS.

WEATHER RECORD.

At Bingham's Drug Store, for the week ending May 3.

	Highest.	Lowest
Tuesday	58	20
Wednesday	48	27
Thursday	47	27
Friday	40	31
Saturday	42	32
Sunday	52	31
Monday	56	32

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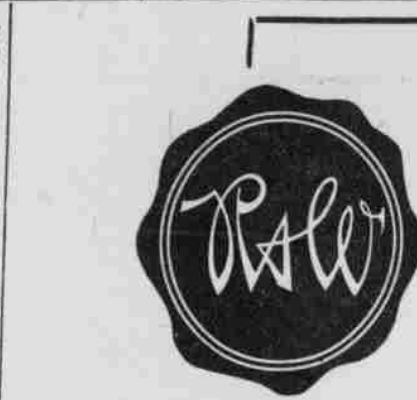
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St. Johnsbury Post Office.

By special proclamation of Gov. Proctor.

Friday, May 7.

will be known as Champlain Arbor Day and being a state holiday the Post Office will observe its usual holiday hours. The carriers will make one general delivery at 7 a. m. The office will be open for the delivery of mail and general business from 9 to 10 a. m. and from 5 to 6 p. m. The lobby will be open through the day for the convenience of those having lock boxes. The night mail closes at 9 p. m.

These are the advertised letters for this week: Miss Delia Harding, Miss May F. Turner, Mr. Cutter, G. A. Krater, Fred Lodett.

A. F. STONE, Postmaster.

Bankruptcy Notice.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE DISTRICT OF VERMONT.

In the matter of Carlos E. Chapman, Debtor. In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Carlos E. Chapman of St. Johnsbury, in the County of Caledonia and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1909, the said Carlos E. Chapman was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in St. Johnsbury, in said District, on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1909, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

MARSHALL MONTGOMERY, Referee in Bankruptcy.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 4, 1909.

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